



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Kar Wai C. Tao, Ping Yu and Art Unit: 1654
Richard L. Roberts

Application No. 10/080,975

Filed: February 21, 2002

For: HIGH MOLECULAR WEIGHT,
LIPOPHILIC, ORALLY INGESTIBLE
BIOACTIVE AGENTS IN
FORMULATIONS HAVING IMPROVED
BIOAVAILABILITY

Examiner: Michele C. Flood

Date: April 7, 2003

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Total Claims	33	- 33*	= 0	\$18.00	\$ 0.00
Indep. Claims	1	3**	= 0	\$84.00	\$ 0.00
Mult. Dep. Claims Fee (if not previously paid)				\$280.00	
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Respectfully submitted,

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